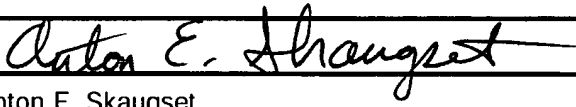


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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements (copy enclosed) dated June 27, 2006, applicant is submitting herewith the executed Declaration of Peter Weingartner.

Applicant believes that the application is now in condition for examination, and respectfully requests consideration of the pending claims. If the Examiner has any questions, or if a telephone interview would in any way advance prosecution of the application, please contact the undersigned agent of record.

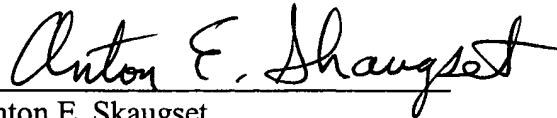
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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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